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ENGLISH ABBREVIATIONS

ap ..... appointed
b ..... born
Cdr ..... commander
CGF ..... Central Group of Forces (Warsaw Pact
CINC ..... Commander-in-Chief
Coms ..... Commission
Dep ..... Deputy
dept ..... department
Dir ..... Directorate
GSFG ..... Group of Soviet Forces Germany (Warsaw Pact)
id ..... identified for the first time in the position listed
MD ..... Military District
MoD ..... Ministry of Defense or Minister of Defense
mr ..... most recently noted to be in the position listed
n ..... noted in the position listed
NGF ..... Northern Group of Forces (Warsaw Pact)
SGF ..... Southern Group of Forces (Warsaw Pact)
SSR ..... Soviet Socialist Republic

MILITARY RANKS AND RELATED TERMS

MSU ..... Marshal of the Soviet Union
Mar ..... Marshal
Gen Army ..... General of the Army
Col Gen ..... Colonel General
Lt Gen ..... Lieutenant General
Maj Gen ..... Major General
Col ..... Colonel

Flt Adm SU ..... Admiral of the Fleet of the Soviet Union
Flt Adm ..... Admiral of the Fleet
Adm ..... Admiral
R Adm ..... Rear Admiral
V Adm ..... Vice Admiral
Capt ..... Captain

Arty ..... Artillery
Avn ..... Aviation
Engrs ..... Engineers
Intend ..... Intendent Service (Quartermaster Service)
Just ..... Justice
Med Serv ..... Medical Service
Tech Troops ..... Technical Troops

RUSSIAN ABBREVIATIONS

VDV	Vozdushno-desantnyye voyska (Airborn troops)
VVS	Voyenno-vozdushnyye sily (Air Force)
VMF	Voyenno-morskoy flot (Navy)
GlavPU	Glavnoye Politicheskoye Upravleniye (Main Political Directorate)
GO	Grazhdanskaya Oborona (Civil Defense)
PVO	Protivo-vozdusnaya Oborona (Air Defense)
RVSN	Raketnyye Voyska Stretegicheskogo Naznacheniya (Strategic Missile Forces)
SV	Sukhoputnyye Voyska (Ground Forces)
TVD	Teatr Voyennykh Deystviy (Theater of Military Operations)

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